Today

The Prophet's Beard. The Dempsey Fights. Mr. Vanderbilt's Party. Ku Klux Patriotism.

BDUL MEDJI EFFENDI IS SOLEMNLY CONSECRAT-ED SUPREME . CALIPH OF THE MOHAMMEDAN WORLD, AN INTERESTING SHOW.

By ARTHUR BRISBANE

They hand him the Prophet's sword, and his green flag symbolizing the Caliph's right to start a holy war at any time. That just now is a joke. This supreme Caliph, number thirtyeight in his family of the Othmans, is the first possessing no temporal power. Kemal will decide about holy wars, until someone succeeds Kemal.

ABDUL also receives Mohammed's beard, done up in a nest package. If Mohammed really is alive—as all Mohammedans believe-up in his paradise, flowing with wine that never intoxicates, crowded with charming young ladies that never grow old, that beard he used to wear must interest him. Probably his wife, Khadijah, rich and jealous, had pulled that beard often.

HAS he grown a new beard up there, or is his face as smooth as in that hour when he was born and lifting his eyes to heaven exclaimed: "There is no God but God, and I am his Prophet." His mother's milk dried up, no wonder.

All good Mohammedans believe, also, that when he spoke, the fire of Zoroaster, kept alive for a thousand years by the Magi, suddenly went out and all the idols in the world fell down.

If you like strange things the Mohammedan religion might suit you better than any other. Napoleon, you know, intended to become Mohammedan, ride on an elephant, and like Alexander, rule Asia. Great was Mohammed. When the fight was dbubtful, he threw a handfal of dust into the air and at once 3,000 fighting angels, on black and white horses, sprang out of the dust and drove the enemy like leaves before a whirlwind. He went to heaven on a white horse and saw angels with foreheads so wide their eyes were many miles apart.

THE things that men have believed are truly remark-There are rich Mohammedans that would give half their possessions for a hair of that prophet's beardand heaven knows from what face it was really shaved.

Do you wonder that men fight, that the Prophet's man, Kemal, is able to bully the allies, that our "civilization" is mere shell, covering barbarism, when men scientifically educated can profess belief in such nonsense? Remember that Mohammedans have no monoply of it, either.

BE NOT too contemptuous of the Mohammedan that gives a fortune for one hair from Mohammed's beard. Mr. Woods, theater manager, understanding America's tastes, has offered Jack Dempsey one million dollars for three bouts. A million for a hair from the Prophet's beard, or a million for three Dempsey fights-which indicates the higher civilization?

MR. WILLIAM H. VANDER-BILT, great-great-grandson of Cornelius, who used to row the boat from Staten Island, comes of age, gets his fortune that has been piling up, and celebrates with a fancy dress

ball at Newport. Nothing could be more appropriate, for with the world as it is there is no knowing what fancy dances some of the great fortunes may have to perform in the next few years. It is well to begin practice early.

WHAT other celebration could you expect? A fancy dance goes with a fancy for-

tune not earned by its owner. Nothing that makes life worth while SEEMS worth while, when everything but the happiness of hard work can be got by signing a check.

A boy cursed with an unearned fortune is entitled to as

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TIERNAN DIVORCE REVOKED SAME DAY HE REWEDS: CLEMENCEAU PEACE POISONED EUROPE, SAYS NITTI

Every American Loan Tends to **Aggravate Snarled European** Situation, Ex-Premier Says

RAPS BIG FRENCH ARMY

Denounces Ruthless Allocation of Territories to Mixed Peoples Regardless of Ambitions

By FRANCESCO NITTI.

Former Premier of Italy. Copyright, 1922, by Francesco Nitti. Welcome to America, my dear MAD DOG BITES ROME, ITALY, Nov. 25.-President Clemenceau! You are! There is nothing I appreciate so much as your persevering ef- Posse Shoots Animal After fort. I remember, not without a thrill of emotion, your farewell speech to Lloyd George and myself, then premiers of England and Italy, at the Paris

tion as president of the French farmers. cabinet, becoming a candidate for the presidency of the republic. t, quite unexpectedly, when of collapse, an eleventh hour dent. Millerand had become premier, but you refused to abandon the conference, and with the consent of all and with the assistance of Millerand himself, you continued to preside over the

PREMIERS QUIT PARLEY.

Lloyd George and I had to leave and it was necessary to close the conference as soon as possible. I still remember the eloquent words, so full of real emotion, which you pronounced on our parting. They were inspired by such profound sadness, such nobility of soul, that they still ring in my ears.

Although not elected to the presidency of the republic and having tendered your resignation as president of the council, France, by a special bill, proclaimed you "as deserving of your country."

You then addressed us, on closing the conference, explaining not only what had been done, but what still remained to be done if the enormous effort in which we were all concerned should prove a practical success.

Now, my dear president, Lloyd George, you and I are no longer members of our governments. You are setting us a good example. It is well understood that the destinies of Europe can only be decided in America and with youthful enthusiasm in the interests of your country, you have States. If I were to have your political authority and were possessed of as sound a knowledge of the English language, I would perhaps follow your example, now

Capital Turns **Out En Masse** For Big Game

THOUSANDS of Washington-I ians journeyed to Franklin Field, Philadelphia, yesterday to view the annual gridiron struggle between the Army and Navy. In the crowd were Cabinet officers, members of the Senate and House and other high Government officials.

It was a great day for the Army. Secretary of War Weeks offered condolences to Secretary of the Navy Denby when the army triumphed, 17 to 14. General Pershing and Brigadier General Brewster extended their sympathies to Admirals Sims Wilson, Coontz and Hulton.

Assistant Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt cheered himself hoarse rooting for the Middles. Vice President Coolidge rentals ed strictly neutral throughout, sitting with first one side and then the other.

For the complete story, see Page 1 of the Pink Sport Sec-

giving a fine example of the resistance of a powerful will. BOYS IN BLUE PLANS

Sons of Frank B. Haskell Are Attacked.

A dog, suffering from rables, I believe it was one evening- D. C., yesterday, biting two boys, of Hansell, Iowa. February 20, 1920—when you ten dogs, a horse and a goat. It

sons of Frank B. Haskell, superineverybody was sure of your suctendent of the District Home for cess and your political adver- their home when attacked. Truman saries themselves were in a state | was bitten on the left leg, below the knee. As Paul ran for help, the coalition elected Deschanel presi- dog attacked him, tearing a piece out of the right side of his face. Both boys were carried into the dispensary where the wounds were

cauterized by Dr. S. B. Pole. Superintendent Haskell and six farmers trailed the dog to an open field and shot it. An examination made by the District Health Depart ment showed the dog had rables On the evening of February 20 Eight other dogs who were bitten, were turned over to the District poundmaster. Two dogs of John Kennedy, a farmer, a horse belonging to the District, and a goat belonging to Haskell were placed under a year quarantine by the Dis-

trict. 537 Shepherd street northwest, was nan continued. "Then he said we bitten on the arm yesterday morn- would go to another town, change ing by a dog which police say, be- our names, and remarry." longs to John Taylor, 531 Quincy street northwest. The boy is under the care of Dr. William B. Burns. 626 Randolph street northwest.

Two Killed as College

Is Burned in Winnipeg students were killed and scores were injured when fire early today Mrs. Tiernan said, weeping bitterly

destroyed St. Boniface College. been of incendiary origin. A number of valuable historical records were destroyed by the flames.

Italy Gives Mussolini

Dictatorial Powers ROME, Nov. 25.-Dictatorial powgone to hold parley in the United ers were vested in the Mussolini government by the chamber of deputies today. By a majority of 185 the with perfect control through wireless chamber passed a bill extending plenary powers in the Fascisti cabi-net until the end of next year.

much sympathy as though parthat my country is in the hands that my country is in the hands (Continued on Page 4, Column 5.)

Wirginia-Carolina football game, Charlottesville, Va., Thanksgiving Day, Reduced Pares via Southern Railway, Nov. 23-26, Cit Ticket Office, 1625 F 81.—Adv

PROFESSOR RISKS CHARGE OF BIGAMY

First Wife's Collusion Story Leads Judge to Reopen Divorce Proceedings.

SAYS HUSBAND BEAT HER

Mrs. Tiernan, of Noted Paternity Case, Avers Consent to Decree Was Forced.

By HARRY R. FLORY,

International News Service. CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—The law tonight had tied a few more knots in the tangled marital relations of Prof. and Mrs. John P. Tiernan, of South Bend, Ind. Re-opening the divorce case in

which Tiernan, formerly a law professor at Notre Dame University and one of the "angles" in the Tiernan-Poulan maternity case, was granted a decree from Augusta Tiernan Thursday. Judge C. R. Montgomery at South Bend late today revoked the decree which freed Tiernan and set re hearing of the divorce case for December 11. The custody of the children was remanded to the mother.

STIRRED BY REMARRIAGE.

Judge Montgomery's action folowed a conference he held with Mrs. Augusta Tiernan after she became aroused over Tiernan's remarriage this morning at Crown ran amuck through Blue Plains, Point to Mrs. Blanche I. Brimmer,

Mrs. Tiernan went on the stand had just tendered your resigna- was killed by a posse of armed today before the judge and Prosecutor Floyd O. Jellison, who de-Truman Haskell, eight years old. Her story led Judge Montgomery and Paul Haskell, four years old, to suspect collusion in the divorce,

ported tonight to be "somewhere in Chicago." Mrs. Tiernan, with her three children, including "Baby Billy." whose paternity was ques tioned by Tiernan, remained in the family home in South Bend.

Earlier today Mrs. Tiernan said her husband had forced her to con sent to the divorce "purely to sat isfy the public and Notre Dame. "John and I lived together as man and wife until last Tuesday night, she said. "We agreed upon the divorce suit in collusion.

SAYS HE BEAT HER.

In his divorce hearing Tiernar testified they had not been living together as man and wife for sev eral months.

"Last Saturday night Mr. Tiernar beat me until I agreed to permit Walter Brown, eight years old, him to get the divorce," Mrs. Tler-Tiernan once came to Chicago to

induce Ralph Obenchain, husband of Madalyne Obenchain, indicted in the murder of J. Belton Kennedy at Los Angeles, to form a law part nership with him, Mrs. Tiernan said. They would have operated under the name of "two abused husbands" she WINNIPEG, Can., Nov. 25.-Two said he told her. "All the respect I had for John has turned to hate, It was predicted here tonight that The blaze is believed to have a charge of bigamy would be lodged against Tiernan.

Radio Guides Plane With Perfect Control

PARIS, Nov. 25 (By Radio) .-Successful tests were carried out near Paris today, during which ar army biplane was flown and piloted operated on the ground. The tests were made by the in

ventors. . The airplane carried no passer

gers and the task of guiding it was

made doubly difficult by thick fog.

"I asked him if he represented the Cunard Line. "He said, 'No; I am a secretary at the embassy." ately and give me a schedule of the advertising so that

Editor Bares Offer of \$12,000 Contract to Attack Ship Bill

Glaser, of Masonic Review, Trails "Mysterious" Request for Anti-Subsidy Advertising to British Embassy.

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Matthew Quay Glaser, editor of the Masonic Review, has given to The Washington Herald an affidavit to the effect that he was approached by F. C. Lawrence, commercial attache attached to the British embassy in Washington, and offered a \$12,000 advertising contract, conditionally upon his printing as reading matter article to be prepared by the embassy, setting forth "the other side of the ship subsidy question."

The affidavit is as follows: My name is Matthew Quay Glaser. I am vice editor

and vice president of the Masonic Review, a monthly publication which discusses affairs of interest to the Masoni order. It is published at Reade street, New York city.

"Since September, 1921, the Masonic Review has advo-cated the ship subsidy in the interests of an American Merchant Marine.

"The issue of March, 1922, was made a special number carrying four articles upon this subject, and a roster of the members of Congress who are members of the Masonic fraternity. There were on this roster.

"I also headed a committee of Masons from various parts of the country which went to Washington to present to President Harding an endorsement of his stand

upon the subject of the Merchant Marine. Shortly after the March special issue of the Masonic Review had appeared, I received a telephone call at my

residence, 90 Morningside drive. "The caller said he had been trying to make an appointment with me for the past week. He apologized for calling me at my home, but said the matter was urgent

and wanted an appointment. "I met this man at the Masonic Club, Imperial Hotel. He said that he represented interests at Washington that had become interested in the March issue of my magazine. He desired to know if we would receive advertising from foreign shipping interests.

"I said that we would. He then asked if we would be willing to carry a certain number of pages of news matter dealing with the shipping industry. He stated that our readers would have the benefit of the other side of the ship subsidy question.

'I agreed, but said I would like to see the copy. He said 'if our financial agreement goes through you will be saved the trouble of editing and writing. The copy will be prepared and given to you in Washington."
"He said 'How would you like to receive \$500.00 a

page for two pages per issue for twelve months, \$12,000.00 in all?

I said the rate would be acceptable. 'He then said 'I think I can put that over for you and, if so, will put you in touch with the parties whom I represent in Washington.'

"After the interview I went to the office of the American Steamship Owners Association and told W. L. Marvin all that had happened.

Two days later I received a telephone call requesting another appointment at the same place. This is the conversation:

'Stranger-'I'm in an awful hurry, Mr. Glaser. I have it all set at terms agreeable. When can you leave for Washington and will you accept \$100.00 for your expense to Washington and when can you leave for there? 'Glaser-'All right, I will accept the expense money

and leave tonight. "Stranger—'Well, you'll meet a gentleman who represents the British Consul's office. You will step to the desk at the Willard Hotel promptly at 11 o'clock tomor-

'Glaser-'Who is he? How will I know him?'

'Stranger-'He'll know you.'

"I arrived at the Willard at 10:30. Sat in a chair until a few minutes before 11, then stepped up to the desk. I was accosted by a man who appeared to be about thirty years old, of slender build, blond, with a light Chaplin moustache; he was about five feet five. 'He said, 'Are you Mr. Glaser? I am Mr. Lawrence.'

"We took a seat in the lobby. He said he could arrange matters in conformity with the proposed agreement in New York. The money end of it will be all "He said, 'I am only interested in the news end of it.

Can we have the article that I have prepared published in the current issue?' "I said, 'If I get it within five days."

"I then proposed that he prepare the article immedi-

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Secret Agents of Crown at Work During and After War to Cripple American Shipping - Affidavits, Confessions and Fac-Simile Copies of Official Documents Disclose Startling Efforts by "White List to Prevent Growth of Our Commerce.

WASHINGTON MAN SLAIN STRANGELY DURING PROBE-

By WALTER HOWEY

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The Washington Herald respectfully submits for the consideration of Congress and the Nation evidence of efforts by agents of the government of Great Britain to smash America's sea commerce.

Much of the evidence is supported by sworn affidavit, confessions, and facsimile copies of official documents. Many of the documents are contained in that most secret of all investigations carried on by United States secret during and afterward known as the TEN TWELVE case. This was authorized by Congressional act and appropriation "for the investigation of foreign discrimination against

vessels and shippers of the United States." It throws into the spotlight the following statement made by President Harding in his speech to Congress last Monday in support of the Ship Subsidy bill:

"The maritime nations of the world are in complete accord with the opposition here to the present measure." Among the disclosures are:

Affidavit of Mathew O. Glaser, of the Masoric Review. Le charging that he was approached by (men pretending to be) agents of the British embassy with an offer of \$12,000 in the guise of advertising for British shipping to influence Glaser to alter the policy of his magazine which has a wide circulation in Congress and has been waging a vigorous campaign in favor of the ship subsidy bill.

Evidence that the American shipping control commit-2. tee was dominated by a British personnel which broke up privately owned American shipping lines, allocated American ships to foreign companies, and American trade to British business concerns, under the guise of war

Evidence that the British consul of New York forced J. American shippers and ship owners to furnish complete manifests of cargoes to all ports-this constituting a betrayal of American trade secrets, customers, and price

Documents indicating that the British provest marshal 4. and the British control, which corresponds to the American Secret Service, used its office and its official "white list" to deprive American shippers of South American trade which was thereupon turned over to the British shippers, although the products sold were produced in the United States and sent to South America in American ships.

Under the influence of Britishers within the Shipping D. Board during the war and afterward, American-born licensed marine officers were forced to accept subordinate positions aboard American vessels and serve under British